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Title : NANOPARTICLES COMPRISING AT LEAST
: ONE POLYMER AND AT LEAST ONE
: ABLE TO COMPLEX ONE OR MORE
: ACTIVE INGREDIENTS COMPOUND

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AMENDMENT

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Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated November 20, 2001, using clean copies of the Claims and also a marked-up version of such, Applicants amend as follows:

In the Claims (Clean copy as amended)

Please amend the claims as follows:

- 1) (Twice Amended) Nanoparticles comprising:
- at least one polymer;
 - at least one active ingredient; and
 - at least one cyclic oligosaccharide.

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